

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

IN RE: TESTOSTERONE REPLACEMENT THERAPY PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION	MDL No. 2545 Hon. Matthew F. Kennelly
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**JOINT STATUS REPORT FOR NOVEMBER 16, 2018
CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE**

The parties jointly submit this status report on the proposed agenda items for the November 16, 2018 case management conference.

I. Motions Under Advisement and Pending Ruling

At the case management conference, the parties propose a discussion regarding motions that the Court has taken under advisement and that remain pending such as 1) motions and stipulations to dismiss pursuant to CMO 9 and CMO 26, 2) motions to withdraw as counsel, and 3) motions to vacate judgments/reconsideration based on CMO 85. *See* CMO 118 [Dkt. No. 2612] (dismissal of cases for noncompliance with CMO 85).

II. Reports on Status of Pending Settlements with Defendants

A. *Eli Lilly and Company Defendants*

The settlement allocation process for the Lilly Defendants is well underway. Initial allocations have been released.

B. *Auxilium Pharmaceuticals, LLC, Endo Pharmaceuticals Inc. and GlaxoSmithKline LLC Defendants*

The claims process is underway and on track pursuant to the timeline set forth in the Master Settlement Agreement.

C. Actavis Defendants

The claims process is underway pursuant to the terms of the Master Settlement Agreement.

D. AbbVie Defendants

The parties are working diligently and cooperatively to finalize a Master Settlement Agreement and will be prepared to update the Court at the conference.

III. Procedures for Determination of Common Benefit Fees and Expenses

Lead counsel for the Plaintiff Steering Committee are prepared to discuss this with the Court at the case management conference.

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Respectfully submitted,

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